

AMENDMENTS TO THE DRAWINGS

Replace the drawings with the attached seventy (70) Replacement Drawing Sheets.

REMARKS

This Reply is submitted in response to the Notice Regarding Drawings dated July 19, 2005. The Notice sets a two month time period for responding. Thus, the Reply is timely submitted.

The Notice indicates that the drawings in the instant application are not acceptable. Specifically, the Notice cites the following items: overwriting in Figure 7, improper labeling of Figures 24-26, 34, 37-39, 42, 43, 48, and 59; solid shading in Figures 32, 51-54, 60, 65, 66, and 68; and improper character size in Figures 13, 16-18, 22-24, and 54.

Replacement Drawing Sheets 1-70 are appended hereto. The Replacement Sheets include the following revisions: overwriting is removed from Figure 7; Figures 24-26, 34, 37-39, 42, 43, 48, and 59 are re-labeled to properly indicate each individual drawing; the solid and clustered shading is removed from Figures 32, 51-54, 60, 65, 66, 68; and improper character size in Figures 13, 16-18, 22-24, and 54. Accordingly, all of the issues raised in the Notice are herein addressed and overcome. The drawings comply with all requirements of 37 C.F.R. §1.84 and are thus acceptable.

Entry of the drawings and issuance of the patent are respectfully requested.

The Office is invited to contact Applicant's attorneys at the below-indicated telephone number concerning this Reply or otherwise regarding the present application.

Applicant hereby petitions under 37 C.F.R. §1.136 for any extension of time necessary for entry and consideration of this Response.

Charge any fee required with respect to this Reply or otherwise concerning this application to Deposit Account No. 06-1130 maintained by Applicant's attorneys.

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